

282/ IRV

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "FIRST CLASS MAIL"

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "First Class Mail" in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on January 6, 2005.

Stranges Application

PATENT Docket No. 50612/4.10 (formerly 2741.2.3)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| Applicant: | Mario K. Hieb |) |
|-------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Serial No.: | 09/990,403 |)) Group Art) Unit: 2821 |
| Filed: | November 21, 2001 |) |
| For: | Exciter/Phasor/Transmitter for Directional Antenna System |) |
| Examiner: | ttor. |) |

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a report concerning the status of the above-identified application.

In view of the fact that no official action has been taken on this case since the filing of the Preliminary Amendment on December 29, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests a report as to the status of the matter.

A. miles. Manson finos. 117 miles Miconfil (14) A. v. enga System Respectfully submitted,

John R. Thompson

Reg. No. 40,842

Attorney for Applicant

Date: January 6, 2005

Stoel Rives LLP One Utah Center 201 South Main Street, Suite 1100 Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Phone: (801) 578-6994 Fax: (801) 578-6999